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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
DISTRICT OF NEVADA

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UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,  
  
Plaintiff,  
  
vs.  
  
ADOLFO SILVA-CONTRERAS,  
  
Defendant.

Case No.: 2:10-cr-0008-GMN-LRL

**MOTION FOR RETURN OF PASSPORT**

COMES NOW, Raquel Lazo, Assistant Federal Public Defender, counsel for ADOLFO SILVA-CONTRERAS, and respectfully requests the return of his passport. This request is made based on the following reasons:

1. On January 8, 2010, Mr. Silva-Contreras made his initial appearance. Mr. Silva-Contreras was released on a Personal Recognizance Bond (#5) on the condition that he surrender his passport.

2. On June 20, 2011, the court granted Mr. Silva-Contreras' request to be permitted to travel to Mexico for two weeks beginning June 16, 2011. Mr. Silva-Contreras traveled to Mexico and returned pursuant to the court's Order.

2. On December 6, 2010 Mr. Silva-Contreras was adjudicated guilty as to Count 1 of the Superseding Indictment, Rendering Inaccurate a Monitoring Device or Method Under the Clean Air Act. He was sentenced to thirty-six (36) months of probation. See Judgment (#30).

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1           3.       On December 14, 2010, the court granted Mr. Silva-Contreras' request to have his  
2 passport returned to him for a limited period of time, so that he could travel to Mexico from  
3 December 17, 2010 to January 4, 2011. Upon Mr. Silva-Contreras' return from Mexico he returned  
4 his passport to the Pre-Trial Services.

5           4.       Mr. Silva-Contreras requests the return of his passport on an expedited basis, as his  
6 current passport expires in August of this year. Mr. Silva-Contreras is required to provide his  
7 passport to the U.S. Passport Office so that he can be issued a new ten year passport.

8           5.       If required by the Court, Mr. Silva-Contreras will forward his new passport to the  
9 Pre-Trial Services office.

10           6.       Neither Pre-Trial Services nor Probation oppose this motion.

11           7.       Mr. Silva-Contreras respectfully requests that this court enter an order requiring  
12 Pretrial Services to return his passport.  
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14           DATED this the 24th day of May, 2011.

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16                           FRANNY A. FORSMAN  
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17                           /s/ Raquel Lazo

18                           By: RAQUEL LAZO,  
Assistant Federal Public Defender  
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20       The Pretrial Services Agency shall forthwith return the defendant's passport to  
21 him. The defendant shall surrender his new passport to the Pretrial Services  
Agency forthwith.

22       IT IS SO ORDERED.

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U.S. MAGISTRATE JUDGE  
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